



SAA-58 (402 P 340)

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 3713

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Merrill W. Harriman

Application No.: 09/818,006

Confirmation No.: 2027 Filed On: March 27, 2001

For: WEB BASED FACTORY AUTOMATION

TRAINING ON DEMAND

Examiner: Christman, Kathleen

Art Unit: 3713

Mail Stop AF Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified Application. Applicant is other than a small entity. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in these fees to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

No additional fee for the Amendment is required

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0280. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for the presentation of extra Claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED JULY 29, 2005

Dear Sir:

This Reply is in response to the Final Office Action mailed July 29, 2005. It is not believed that any fees are due as a result of this Reply. If, however, any fees are required, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0280 in connection therewith. In response to the Office Action dated July 29, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.